



Battalion Chiefs - District 1



Roger Groves

Battalion Chief

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Battalion Chief Roger Groves began his service with the City of Longview in 1989 as a Firefighter. Groves promoted to Fire Driver in 2000, Captain in 2003, and Battalion Chief in 2010. Chief Groves is a Licensed Paramedic and holds a Master Firefighter and Instructor II certification with the State. He earned an Associate Fire Science Degree at Tyler Junior College. Groves has served on the Special Operations Team, Hiring Board, as a member of the Honor Guard, and received the Firefighter of the Year accommodation in 2007.



Russell Marshall

Battalion Chief

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Battalion Chief Russell Marshall began his career with the Longview Fire Department in 1987. Chief Marshall promoted to Paramedic Supervisor in 1989, Battalion Chief (Training) in 1993, and Battalion Chief (Operations) in 2007. He is a Licensed Paramedic and holds certifications through the Texas Commission on Fire Protection as a Master Firefighter, Fire Officer II, Instructor Level II, and HazMat Technician. Chief Marshall has a Bachelors Degree in Public Safety Administration from St. Edwards University, and is a graduate of the National Fire Academy's, Executive Fire Officer Program. Additionally, he serves as a Type III Operations Chief for the State of Texas Incident Management Teams.

Battalion Chief Buddy Anderson began his career in the fire service with Elderville-Lakeport. In 1982, he began serving with Longview Fire Department as a Firefighter. Anderson promoted to Driver in 1989, Captain in 1997, and Battalion Chief in 2010. Chief Anderson is certified as a Advanced Firefighter, Fire Instructor I, and Fire Officer II with the State of Texas. He is a Paramedic and certified EMS Instructor. Chief



Buddy Anderson

Battalion Chief

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Anderson has served on several committees and specialty teams within the department.

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